REMARKS

Claims 6-16 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, claims 1-5 are cancelled without prejudice or disclaimer, and claims 7 and 8 are amended. No new matter is added. Reconsideration based on the above amendments and the following remarks is respectfully requested.

I. <u>In the Title of the Invention</u>

The Title of the Invention is objected to for not being descriptive. The Title is amended according to the Examiner's suggestion. Accordingly, withdrawal of the objection to the Title is respectfully requested.

II. The Abstract Satisfies All Formal Requirements

The Abstract of Disclosure was objected to because the Abstract appears to be greater than 150 words and is not directed to the claimed invention of a method of manufacturing.

Applicants have amended the Abstract to obviate this objection.

III. The Claims Satisfy All Formal Requirements

The Office Action objects to claims 7-8 due to an informality. Claims 7-8 are amended to obviate the objection. Withdrawal of the objection to claims 7-8 is respectfully requested.

IV. The Claims Define Allowable Subject Matter

Applicants gratefully acknowledge that the Office Action indicates that claims 6-16 include allowable subject matter. Since Applicants have cancelled claims 1-5 and amended the Abstract, Title and Claim 7-8 to obviate any informalities, withdrawal of the objections to the Title, Abstract and Claims 7-8 are respectfully requested.

V. Conclusion

For at least these reasons, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance of claims 6-16 are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number set forth below.

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